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VIRTUAL STAGE AND PRESENTING  
ENHANCED CONTENT VIA THE VIRTUAL  
STAGE

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the final Office Action dated October 25, 2005, for which a response is due on January 25, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.